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Report of Special Bible Committee. +

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This report will be a very brief one but nevertheless it shows greater progress than has any previous report. The Committee has been able to place in the hands of the Missionary Community the first-fruits of the labors of the Translators. This consists of a small edition of the Gospel of Matthew, Mark, & John and The Acts of the Apostles. These in limited numbers can now be obtained for use among Christians and Catechumens.

The Committee requests criticisms upon these translations in the hope that this will help in perfecting them when another edition is ordered.

The Gospel of Luke is now in the press and we have made request to the Board of Translators for the other Books of the New Testament. As yet we have not received an answer to this request.

The price of the books has been placed at five cents per copy, altho this may subsequently be reduced as the Bible Societies seem to think it excessive. At the last meeting of the Committee it was thought advisable to add another member

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to the Board of Translators, Mr. Pollock's long continued absence having practically left but four members of the Board. Rev. W. D. Reynolds was unanimously elected, the Board of Translators otherwise continuing as last year with Dr. Underwood as their Chairman.

The Officers of the Permanent Executive Committee for the following year are

Chairman	Rev. D. A. Bunker
Secretary	Rev. W. D. Reynolds
Treasurer	S. D. Drew M.D.

Respectfully Submitted.